TIPS FOR COMMUNITY REPORTING ON ICE ACTIVITY

A QUICK AND EASY INTRO TO RELAYING WHAT YOU SEE HAPPENING IN YOUR COMMUNITY

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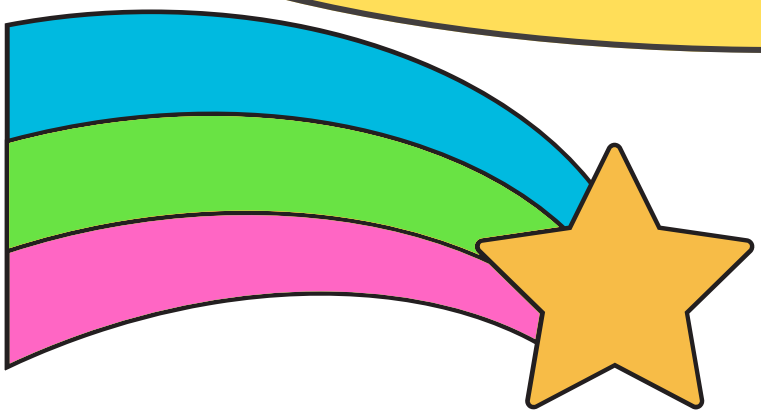

We love that so many people want to help keep our communities safe and informed!
We know that this type of essential communication might be new to people.

We can spread the word on activity we see to help our communities be prepared and aware of what is happening.

We have two mnemonic communication tools that can help you remember what you need to observe and document to spread information quickly and effectively.

Here are some tips for how to spread information, without inadvertently spreading fear.

WHY THIS IS IMPORTANT

It's not wrong to feel urgency, but we MUST slow down to ensure we give as much information as possible to get a clear message across and reduce the need for follow up questions.

Slow down enough to get as much detail as possible into one message instead of sending multiple messages with information.

You can use either mnemonic device based on the need, and you can combine the elements of the two when using them in real-time.

We might not have all the information, so including what you DON’T know in your messaging can also be helpful.

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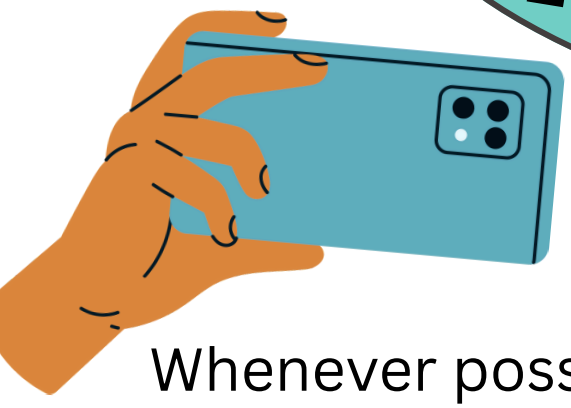


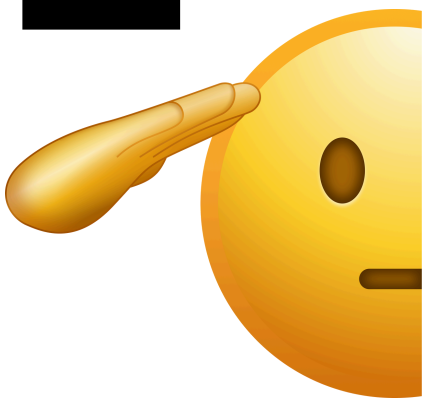
Whenever possible, include photos or video that show where a situation is and what is happening. Using the same mnemonic devices in this zine will help you figure out what to take pictures/video of. When in doubt, more info is always better than less!

If it is not safe for you to stop, approach, or pull over to take photos or videos, I suggest making a voice memo describing everything you see happening in front of you. That way you can collect as much information as possible and not have to worry about forgetting what you saw. Go to a safe location and listen back for details while you document what happened and relay it to the community.

We can respond much quicker to support and defend our communities from harm when we share as much information as possible.

We can do follow-ups when we know more about what we still need to learn!

SALUTE



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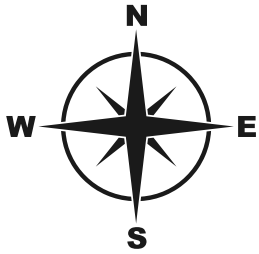
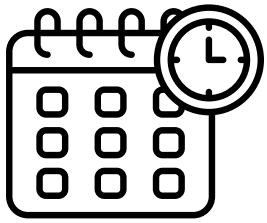
A Activity - What are they doing?

L Location - where are they doing it? Be specific!



U Uniform - What IDs or logos are they wearing? What makes them distinct?

T Time - when did it start / end? Is it still happening?



E Equipment - what vehicles, tools, or other notable things do they have?

SALUTE EXAMPLE

S Size - at least 6 cop-looking guys and 2 vehicles

A Activity - detaining some folks in the parking lot, asking for IDs and papers

L Location - Outside of Safeway at 15th and John in Cap Hill

U Uniform - 6 guys wearing jeans and bulletproof vests that say Dept of Homeland Security

T Time - seen at 7:30am today 1/24, still there as of sending this msg at 7:42am

E Equipment - 2 white unmarked SUVs with blacked out windows and no license plates

SALUTE EXAMPLE IN PRACTICE

Not Helpful: ICE seen harassing people outside Safeway in cap hill this morning.

Somewhat Helpful: 6 cop-looking guys in plainclothes with police vests harassing people outside Safeway in Cap Hill as of 730am, pretty sure its ICE. If anyone is in the area to follow up please report back with an update,
I'm not able to stay.

Most Helpful: 6 cop-looking guys in jeans and wearing bulletproof vests that say "Department of Homeland Security" on the back are detaining some people outside of Safeway on 15th and John in Cap Hill. There are 2 unmarked white SUVs with blacked out windows present as of 7:30am today 1/24.They're asking for people's IDs. Support is needed ASAP!! I'm not able to stay.

The order of the message does not matter as long as all the necessary and available info is communicated. When in doubt, more info is better than less!

Remember: this info may be forwarded - a direct line of contact to the initial messenger may be lost.

ALERTA

A Activity - what are they doing?

L Location - where are they doing it? Be specific!

E Equipment - what vehicles, tools, or other notable things do they have?

R Response - what is needed from the community, if anything?

T Time - when did it start / end? Is it still happening?

A Appearance - How many of them are there? What are they wearing? What logos or labels can you confirm?

ALERTA EXAMPLE

A Activity - suspected ICE agents trying to enter the library

L Location - SPL U-District branch on Roosevelt Way & 50th

E Equipment - Unmarked SUV with blacked out windows seen in parking lot

R Response - No response needed, SPL security is holding them at door, will updated if needed

T Time - seen today 1/24 at 2:15pm and active as of sending msg

A Appearance - 2 white men wearing ball caps, sunglasses, jackets with ICE on the back

ALERTA EXAMPLE IN PRACTICE

Not Helpful: ICE seen at U District library 20 mins ago.

Somewhat Helpful: Confirmed 2 ICE agents seen at UDistrict library 20 mins ago, car parked nearby with tinted windows.

Most Helpful: 2 white men wearing ball caps, sunglasses, neck gaiters and body armor with “POLICE” on back were seen at 215pm trying to enter the SPL in U District. There’s an unmarked white SUV with tinted windows parked in the street. SPL security is holding them at the door. Seems like an intimidation tactic, pretty sure its ICE. I’m sticking around to watch. No additional support needed at this time. Will update if that changes.

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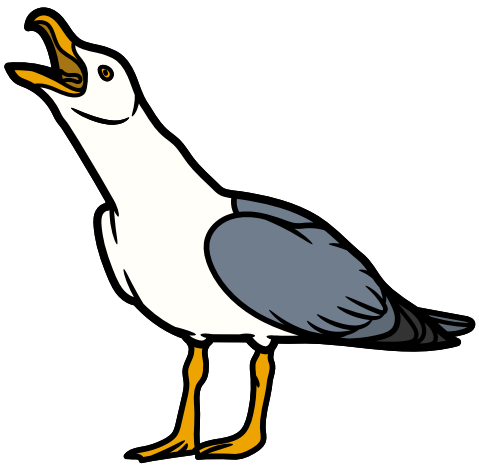
PRACTICE SO YOU ARE READY WHEN THE PRESSURE IS ON!

Using these mnemonics is the best way to keep our community informed. This lets our community members make informed decisions for how they want to respond in ways that are safe for them.

Be sure to use these communication methods in text messages, tiktoks, phone calls and wherever you find yourself spreading the word.

PLEASE PRACTICE with your everyday observations so you are ready when the pressure is on!

Information only - Flock of seagulls fighting over spilled french fries on Alaskan Way by the ferry entrance, seen today Nov 23 around 3pm. They seem to be problem-solving for themselves, no support needed.



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